

IN THE ABSTRACT:

Please replace the Abstract with the following:

Yarn is disclosed including textile fibers and metallic fibers. The textile fibers are either natural or artificial fibers. The cut length of the textile fibers is between 50 and 100 millimeters. The metallic fibers are fabricated from Group VIII metals or their alloys. In addition, the metallic fibers have a cut length measuring between 20 and 80 millimeters.